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IN RE PCT NATIONAL STAGE APPLICATION OF

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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.

PCT/EP 99/07981

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FOR: STABILISATION OF BODY-CARE AND

HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTS

U.S. APPLICATION NO: 09/830,787

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Response Under 37CFR 1.116-

Expedited Procedure Examining Group

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 10, 2008, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted for entry and consideration. The Action set a 3 month shortened statutory period for reply. A petition for a 1 month extension of time is attached herewith, making response due April 10, 2009. This reply is timely filed.

This response is filed together with a Request for Continued Examination.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1935.